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**Subject:** Microsoft Settlement

To whom it may concern;

First of all, thank you for soliciting and taking into consideration public opinion regarding the above settlement. It makes me proud to live and be part of the best democracy in the world.

To maintain a true democracy, government needs to act as an independent moderator and enforce the law to protect its citizens.

In my opinion, this case has been drag for so long that it has lost its purpose. Millions of dollars of taxes have been spent prosecuting a business, and millions more have been spent by Microsoft defending its business practices. This money on both sides can be put to better use.

I believe that the current penalties levied by the court are fair and should be executed promptly. The sooner this case is settling, the sooner the consumer and the government can focus on more important matters.

Respectfully,

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